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From Pyrotechnic Reactions

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before the paragraph beginning at line 2, insert

Background Of The Invention.

Page 3, before the paragraph beginning at line 1, insert

Summary Of The Invention.

Page 4, before the paragraph beginning at line 26, insert

Brief Description Of The Drawings

Figure 1 is a process flow scheme of the experimental apparatus.

Detailed Description Of The Invention.

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